



Friday, 6 July 2018

THE WEEK AHEAD

9 – 13 JULY

Work Experience Students on Placement from Chellaston Academy all week

Monday 9 July

Year 4 Premier League Primary Stars Regional Tournament at Aston Villa Academy (all day) with Mr Gadsby

Tuesday 10 July

Quad Kids Athletics at St Mary's College, Spinkhill (all day) with Miss McGinty
Year 3 Composting Champions workshops in school

Wednesday 11 July

School Council meeting (12.00-12.30)

Thursday 12 July

Reports issued to parents
Primary Track and Field Athletics at Moorways Sports Centre (all day) with Mrs Holmes

All other clubs will go ahead as planned. Parents will be notified by text if there are any significant changes to an event.

End of Year Reports

A reminder that all parents will receive the end of year report for their child on Thursday 12 July. Inside your child's report is an information sheet about your child's report, which we hope you will find useful.

Once again, our PTFA have kindly funded the term date cards for 2018-2019 and Y3/4/5 will receive theirs inside the report envelope.

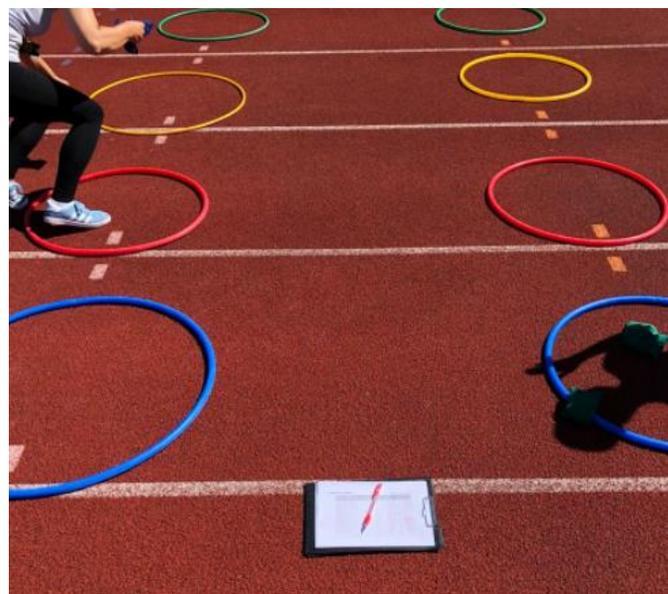
Open Evening

On Thursday 19 July the school is open from 4.30 – 6.00 pm for all parents and children to look around. The Open Evening is an opportunity to look around all the classrooms, view children's work, ask any general questions about end of year reports, speak to any staff and meet your child's class teacher for next year.

Athletics

The CJS team did extremely well at the recent Athletics Plus event held at Moorways. We had some extremely close sprint events - finishing 2nd in both the 50m sprint relay and 100m sprint relay and a 3rd in the obstacle relay.

After some great jumping, throwing, aiming and running, we finished 4th in the competition (just 2 points behind the 3rd placed team!) We even managed to incorporate some mental maths in calculating our target hoop throw scores!



Competing against some older and stronger teams, it was a tremendous effort from all those involved - well done!

Mr J Gadsby, PE and Sports Co-ordinator

Esafety



This Monday, Saltmine Theatre Company visited school to do a performance and workshop on the theme of ESafety. This initiative was funded by Derby City Council and was free to schools.

The drama was about a young girl going out to explore an enchanted forest (the Internet). Rules of the forest were explored:-

1. Stay to the path (agreed and allowed by parents)
2. Don't give out **any** personal details
3. If worried – tell a trusted adult
4. Have fun

In the forest the girl, Sarah, met a boy called Wilf, who turned out to be a wolf which frightened Sarah. While all pupils in Year 3, 4 & 5 responded brilliantly and give all the right answers in the workshop, we still remain very concerned that many of our pupils may be involve in silly behaviour online and we urge parents to be vigilant on a daily basis.

The Internet is a very exciting environment, but also poses the greatest risk to our children's safety.

Transition

All years groups "shuffled up" to their next class for Tuesday morning. Year 6 had an interesting day at Chellaston Academy complimented CJS on the behaviour of our pupils. Everyone seemed to settle into their new classes and we look forward to September and another exciting year!

Sports Days

Thank you to all parents for ensuring that the pupils had all the correct kit and everything they needs for Sports Days.

Yesterday, Years 3 & 4 pupils had a great day participating in various track and field events. It was great to see everyone competing in a sporting manner, having a go and showing great teamwork. We even had a teachers' race and Mr Gadsby ran like the wind to finish in 1st place. Thank you to all parents who supported this event in the beautiful sunshine.

The PTFA kindly provided extra water bottles and ice pops for all the children – thank you for their support!

The results for Years 3 & 4 Sports Day were:-

1st Mercury – 760 points
2nd Saturn – 730 points
3rd Neptune – 705 points
4th Jupiter – 645 points

This afternoon, Years 5 & 6 continued in the same vein. Their results were:

1st Jupiter – 730 points
2nd Saturn – 675 points
3rd Mercury – 650 points
4th Neptune – 630 points

A huge thank you to Miss McGinty and Mr Gadsby, who not only organised the two days, but who have also worked tirelessly this year to provide numerous opportunities for our pupils to be involved in Inter-School Sport.

Regional Tournament

Due to the success of the football teams in years 3 & 4, Mr Gadsby was invited to take a team to the Premier League Primary Stars Regional Tournament at Aston Villa Academy (which will be interesting for an avid Derby County fan!)

We wish our year 4 team all the best.

School Council

A small group of the School Council will present a review of the year to the school Governors on Thursday, 12th July at 6.30 pm. We are very proud of all the school council representatives. We would like to thank them for their commitment and hard work this year. Well done!

Work experience Students

Nest week we have a number of Year 12 students from Chellaston academy who will be undertaking their work experience placements with us. Five of the students are former pupils and it will be great to welcome them back to CJS. They will be helping out in classes across all years in a variety of subjects.

PrimaryFest Day

A number of our pupils spent today at Chellaston Academy for another successful 'Primaryfest'.

This was an event for pupils who play musical instruments in Years 4, 5 and 6 and gave them an opportunity to work with music and drama teachers at Chellaston Academy, finishing with an informal performance.

Dinner Money

Please can we remind ALL parents to ensure that you have sufficient funds in your ParentPay account to cover dinners until the end of this academic year. Thank you.